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Applicant:	Seggem	Docket No:	5410-006 (312552-24)
Serial No.:	10/808,758	Confirmation No.:	6593
Filed:	March 24, 2004	Group Art Unit:	1648
For:	ADENOVIRUS PARTICLES WITH ENHANCED INFECTIVITY OF DENDRITIC CELLS AND PARTICLES WITH DECREASED INFECTIVITY OF HEPATOCYTES	Examiner:	<i>To be assigned</i>

**RENEWED PETITION UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)**

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants hereby Petition to Revive this abandoned application under 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b) (unintentional delay) and state as follows:

A grantable petition to revive under 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b) has three requirements and Applicants have complied with all three requirements. The three requirements are:

1. The required reply unless previously filed.

The required reply is a response to the Notice to File Missing Parts mailed September 16, 2005. Applicants filed an executed declaration on June 22, 2006. On March 24, 2004 applicant's filed a Computer Readable Form of the sequence listing, along with a paper copy of

the same. Filed herewith is a preliminary amendment for its entry into the application; and a Statement Under 37 CFR § 1.821-1.825.

2. The petition fee required by 37 CFR 1.17(m).

The petition fee for a small entity was paid on June 22, 2006.

3. A statement that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.137(b) was unintentional.

The entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the required reply until the filing of a grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional. The delay was due to internal communication error when the file for this case was transferred from Fish & Richardson to DLA Piper U.S. LLP. The patent application file and responsibility for prosecution was transferred from Fish & Richardson to DLA Piper's San Francisco office on August 23, 2005. The application was filed on March 24, 2004 and was entered into the docket system at DLA as a pending application with no response due to the USPTO. The Filing receipt and Notice to File Missing Parts (dated September 16, 2005) was forwarded by Fish & Richardson to DLA Piper's San Francisco office on October 20, 2005, however the due date was inadvertently not docketed at DLA. A Revocation and Power of Attorney transferring responsibility to DLA was filed on November 14, 2005. Accordingly, the application was believed to be in good standing until the Notice of Abandonment dated 5/22/06 and mailed to Fish & Richardson was received and docketed by DLA Piper's San Francisco office on June 20, 2006.

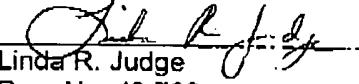
Wherefore, Applicants respectfully request that the Petition to Revive be granted, and the present application be revived and reinstated.

If any issues remain which the Examiner feels may be best resolved through a personal or telephonic interview, the Examiner is respectfully requested to contact Applicants' counsel, Linda R. Judge at (415) 836-2586.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 3/2/07

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Filing Date: March 24, 2004		
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1. Transmittal;
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4. Preliminary Amendment;
5. Statement Under 37 CFR § 1.821-1.825; and
6. Combined Revocation and Power of Attorney and Statement Under 37 CFR §§ .73(b) & 3.71 and Request for Change of Attorney Docket Number.

Thank you.

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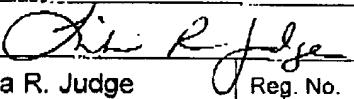
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## REMARKS:

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The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be required in connection with the papers submitted herewith that have been inadvertently omitted, specifically including any extension fees that may be required under 37 CFR § 1.136(a), to Deposit Account No. 07-1896 (Charge No. 5410-006 (312552-24))

## SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY OR AGENT

Signature		Date	3/2/07
Name	Linda R. Judge	Reg. No.	42,702
Address	153 Townsend St., Suite 800, San Francisco, CA 94107		
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I hereby certify that this paper (along with any referred to as being attached) is being filed with the United States Patent and Trademark Office by facsimile transmission on the date indicated below to facsimile No. 571/273.8300.

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**OFFICE OF PETITIONS**

In re Application of :  
 Daniel J. Von Seggern :  
 Application No. 10/808,758 : ON PETITION  
 Filed: March 24, 2004 :  
 Attorney Docket No. 22908-1239 :

This is a decision on the petition under the unintentional provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed June 22, 2006, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **DISMISSED**.

Any request for reconsideration of this decision must be submitted within TWO (2) MONTHS from the mail date of this decision. Extensions of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) are permitted. The reconsideration request should include a cover letter entitled "Renewed Petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b)." This is not a final agency action within the meaning of 5 U.S.C. § 704.

The application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application (Notice), mailed September 16, 2005, which requires the submission of an executed oath or declaration, a \$65 surcharge fee for its late filing, and compliance with the sequence listing requirements. The Notice set a period for reply of two (2) months from the mail date of the Notice. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) were obtained. Accordingly, the application became abandoned on November 17, 2005. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on May 22, 2006.

A grantable petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) must be accompanied by: (1) the required reply, unless previously

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filed; (2) the petition fee as set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(m); (3) a statement that the entire delay in filing the required reply from the due date for the reply until the filing of a grantable petition pursuant to 37 CFR 1.137(b) was unintentional; and (4) any terminal disclaimer (and fee as set forth in 37 CFR 1.20(d)) required by 37 CFR 1.137(d). Where there is a question as to whether either the abandonment or the delay in filing a petition under 37 CFR 1.137 was unintentional, the Director may require additional information. See MPEP 711.03(c)(II)(C). The instant petition lacks items (1) and (3) above.

With respect to item (1), compliance with the sequence requirements set out in the Notice of September 16, 2005 has not been satisfied. Accordingly, before revival can be effected, the sequence requirement must be satisfied.

As to item (3) above, the petition presently does not provide an adequate statement of unintentional delay. More particularly, the sentence "[t]he delay was due to internal communication error when the file for this case was transferred from Fish & Richardson to DLA Piper Rudnick Gray Cary U.S. LLP.," needs further clarification. What was the nature of the communication error which led to the unintentional abandonment of this application?

In sum, the renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b) must be accompanied by a complete reply to the Notice of September 16, 2005 and an explanation of the nature of the miscommunication error which resulted in the unintentional abandonment of this application.

The revocation and power of attorney filed on November 14, 2005 is unacceptable since it fails to comply with the provisions of 37 CFR 3.73(b). In this regard, the reel and frame number where the recorded assignment appears in the Office assignment records is missing. A courtesy copy of this decision is being mailed to petitioner. However, until such time as an acceptable power of attorney is received, all future correspondence regarding this file will continue to be held with the above address of record.

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Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3218.

*Frances Hicks*  
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## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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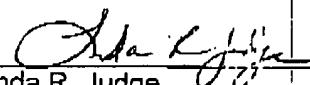
Sir:

Please insert the Sequence Listing submitted on March 24, 2004 after the last page of the specification.

Applicants believe that the present application is now in condition for allowance.  
 Favorable reconsideration of the application as amended is respectfully requested.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned by telephone if it is felt that a telephone interview would advance the prosecution of the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: 3/2/07
  
 Linda R. Judge  
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## STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.821-1.825

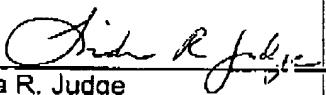
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I, Linda R. Judge, declare as follows:

1. That the contents of the paper and computer readable copies of the Sequence Listing submitted on March 24, 2004 in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(c) and (e), respectively, are the same in compliance with 1.821(f).
2. That the submission filed on March 24, 2004, filed in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(g), does not include new matter.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: 3/2/07

  
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Examiner: To be assigned

**COMBINED REVOCATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY AND STATEMENTS  
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The Scripps Research Institute hereby revokes all previous powers of attorney and hereby appoints Linda R. Judge, Registration No. 42,702, and the DLA Piper US LLP attorneys and agents associated with Customer Number 29585 as its attorneys with full power of substitution and revocation, to prosecute the above-captioned application and to transact all business in the Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith connected therewith, including full power of association, substitution, and revocation, said appointment being to the exclusion of the inventor(s) and his/her attorney(s) in accordance with the provisions of 37 CFR § 3.71; provided that if any one of said attorneys ceases to be affiliated with the law firm of DLA Piper US LLP as partner, employee or of counsel, such attorney's appointment as attorney and all powers derived therefrom shall terminate on the date such attorney ceases being so affiliated.

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The attorney docket number for this application was formerly entered as 22908-1239. It has since been changed to docket number 5410-006. Please use this new docket number in reference to this application for all future communications.

The undersigned, whose title is supplied below, is authorized to act on behalf of the assignee.

Date: February 20, 2007

Assignee: The Scripps Research Institute  
Signed: Thomas Fitting  
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